

# TRANSFER UPDATE



**Report to the Interim House  
Higher Education Committee**

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# Legislative Timeline

Requirement	Deadline	Status
First Commission Report to Legislature	December 15, 2021	Completed
Establish a list of initial courses for the common course numbering system that will first apply during the 2023-2024 academic year;	December 15, 2021	Completed
Develop and finalize courses placed in the initial list	2023-2024 academic year	Completed
Commission Report to Legislature	Annually	Completed
Transfer Portal Study	December 2021	Completed
Review Transfer Council rule-making recommendations for CCN and MTMs, and adopt rules as appropriate	August 2023	MTM rules adopted. CCN Rules to be completed est. Oct 2024

# Transfer – History Recap

1988 – HB 2913: Associate of Arts Oregon Transfer (AAOT)

1992 – Joint Board of Articulation Commission

2007 – AAOT revisions

2011 – Transfer Student Bill of Rights and Responsibilities

2015 – HB 2525 developed standards related to transferability

2017 – HB 2998 and Major Transfer Maps

2019 – Three Major Transfer Maps completed

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2021 – SB 233 establishes Transfer Council

2022 – First Common Courses Aligned

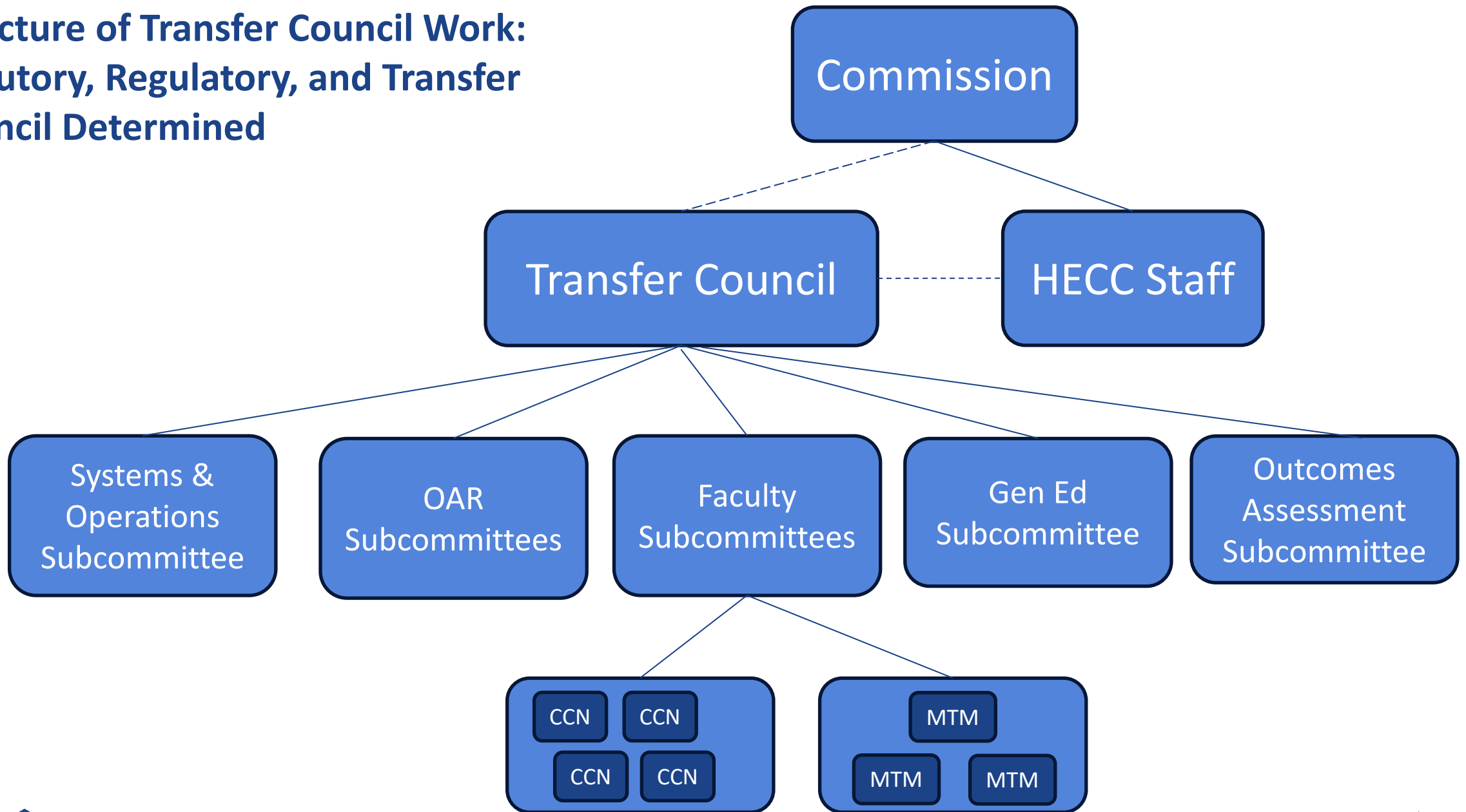
2023 – First OARs adopted



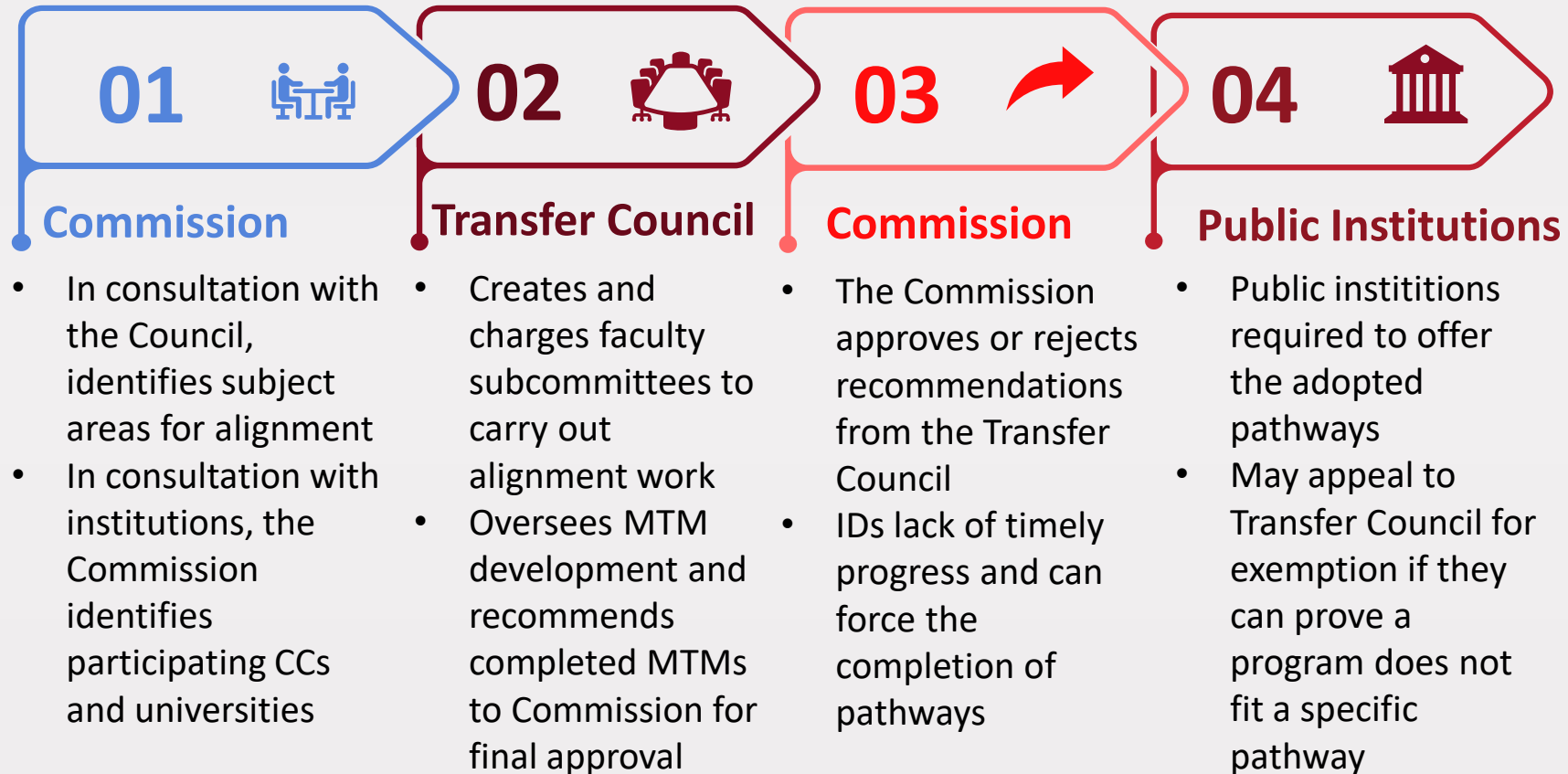
# SB 233 and Transfer Council

The right mix of  
accountability,  
institutional investment,  
and faculty commitment

# Structure of Transfer Council Work: Statutory, Regulatory, and Transfer Council Determined



# Major Transfer Map (MTM) Process: Participation, Collaboration and Accountability



# Courses and Pathways Completed



Transfer Instrument	Completed	In Progress
Common Courses	18	17
Major Transfer Maps	5	3

# CCN Courses Aligned, in 2023-2024 Catalogs

CCN Course	“Most Transferred” Ranking
COM or COMM 100Z Introduction to Communication	50
COM or COMM 111Z Public Speaking	4
COM or COMM 218Z Interpersonal Communication	38
MTH or MATH 105Z Math in Society	29
MTH or MATH 111Z Precalculus I: Functions	5
MTH or MATH 112Z Precalculus II: Trigonometry	5
STAT 243Z Elementary Statistics I	6
WR 121Z Composition I	1
WR 122Z Composition II	3
WR 227Z Technical Writing	9



# CCN Courses Aligned, for 2024-2025 Catalogs

CCN Course	“Most Transferred” Ranking
BA 101Z Introduction to Business	13
BA 211Z Principles of Financial Accounting	24
BA 213Z Principles of Managerial Accounting	8
ENG 104Z Introduction to Fiction	25
ENG 105Z Introduction to Drama	82
ENG 106Z Introduction to Poetry	72
PSY 201Z Introduction to Psychology I	7
PSY 202Z Introduction to Psychology II	17

# CCN Courses Under Alignment, for 2025-26 Catalogs

These courses are currently being aligned. Most course titles have not yet been determined.

\*These courses have been aligned but not yet approved by the Transfer Council, pending the finalization of OARs.



CCN Course	"Most Transferred" Ranking
Biology 221Z	38
Biology 222Z	55
Biology 223Z	59
Business 131	58
Business Excel-only course	New
Business 226Z	37
Chemistry 221Z	19
Chemistry 222Z	27
Chemistry 223Z	40
Economics 201Z	12
Economics 202Z	16
MATH/MTH 251Z Differential Calculus*	10
MATH/MTH 252Z Integral Calculus*	15
MATH/MTH 253Z Calculus: Sequences and Series*	36
Sociology 204Z	14
Sociology 205Z	69
Sociology 206Z	53

# MTMs Completed and In Process

Major subject area:	Recommended	Legislative deadline (HB 2998)	Legislative deadline (SB 233)	Tentative CAP Recommendation to Transfer Council
Computer Science	<a href="#">CS MTM MOU</a>	2020	--	May 2024 <i>done</i>
Human Development and Family Services	Still meeting	2021	2024	Fall 2024
Business	<a href="#">Business MTM MOU</a>	2020	--	Fall 2024
Sociology	Still meeting	2021	2022	Winter 2025
Biology	<a href="#">Biology MTM MOU</a>	2019	--	Winter 2025
English Lit.	<a href="#">Eng. Lit MTM MOU</a>	2019	--	Spring 2025
Elementary Education	<a href="#">Elem. Edu. MTM MOU</a>	2019	--	Spring 2025
Psychology	Still meeting	2021	2023	TBA 2025
Criminal Justice	No longer meeting	2020	2020	TBA 2025

# What is Working since SB 233

Faculty engagement  
is high and growing

Transfer Council is  
stable, and  
developing  
institutional memory

We're hitting an  
acceleration point

Legal structure  
promotes decision-  
making and action

Common course  
numbering is  
progressing quickly

## Total Institutional Participation in Subcommittees, February 2024

- Blue Mountain CC (2)
- Central Oregon CC (4)
- Chemeketa CC (5)
- Clackamas CC (5)
- Clatsop CC (4)
- Columbia Gorge CC (4)
- Lane CC (8)
- Linn-Benton CC (7)
- Mt. Hood CC (7)
- Oregon Coast CC (2)
- Portland CC (12)
- Rogue CC (8)
- Southwestern CC (2)
- Tillamook Bay CC (2)
- Umpqua CC (6)
- OSU (14)
- U of O (10)
- EOU (10)
- OIT (9)
- PSU (11)
- SOU (10)
- WOU (10)

The number after each institution represents faculty and staff who served on a subcommittee.

Totals for all CCN subcommittees, by year (faculty and staff):

- 2022: 80
- 2023: 104
- 2024: 154

# Challenges

Building and sailing the ship has led to some initial delays

Maintaining CCNs and MTMs while building new ones will strain capacity

Process = time, and SB 233 imposes a lot of process

Communication to students

Good faith disagreements can hold up Council work

MTMs developed prior to SB 233 may need additional work

# Opportunities on the Horizon

Finalizing regulations will provide process and standards certainty

Developing a Transfer Portal will better connect students to pathways and institutions to each other

TC will have a fall retreat to improve relationships and address more long-term and strategic questions

Commission and Transfer Council can strengthen relationships and joint expectations regarding current and future work



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Thank you!